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1. [ ] CONCURS WITH THE REFERENCED MESSAGE THAT THE FUNCTION OF CHIA-CHIANG ARMY BARRACKS AL-1, 29-43-56N 103-36-49E

[ ], SHOULD BE RE-EVALUATED BECAUSE OF RECENT ACTIVITY AND NEW CONSTRUCTION AT THIS FACILITY.

2. [ ] REPORTED THIS FACILITY AS A POSSIBLE CCAF TRAINING FACILITY ON [ ]

3. [ ] ALSO CONCURS WITH REFERENCE THAT THIS FACILITY MAY BE ASSOCIATED WITH AIRBORNE OR AIR MOBILE TRAINING. HOWEVER, THE ABSENCE OF PARACHUTE-TRAINING STRUCTURES SUCH AS THOSE OBSERVED AT KNOWN CHINESE AIRBORNE DIVISIONS AT KAI-FENG ABN DIV HQ AND ARMY BARRACKS [ ], YING-SHAN ABN DIV HQ AND BARRACKS AL-1 [ ] AND HUANG-PEI ABN DIV HQ AND BARRACKS AL-2 [ ] TEND TO NEGATE THIS POSSIBILITY.

ONLY TWO COLT AIRCRAFT BEING PRESENT [ ] WOULD ALSO APPEAR INSUFFICIENT FOR EXTENSIVE AIRBORNE TRAINING.

3. THE POSSIBILITY OF THIS FACILITY HOUSING AN AIR MOBILE OR AIR TRANSPORTABLE UNIT IS ALSO FEASIBLE. ONLY ONE HOUND HELICOPTER

HAS BEEN OBSERVED AT THIS FACILITY BUT THE REPORTED DROP ZONE MARKER COULD BE USED FOR HELICOPTER LANDINGS. ALTHOUGH NO DIRECT EVIDENCE IS AVAILABLE, THE AIRFIELD AT I-PEN, 28-48-10N 104-33-00E

[ ] 75 NAUTICAL MILES SOUTHEAST OF CHIA-CHIANG, WAS REPORTED REACTIVATED BY NPIC [ ] AND MAY HAVE SOME ASSOCIATED WITH THE REACTIVATION OF CHIA-CHIANG ARMY BARRACKS AL-1. THE ORDER OF BATTLE AT I-PEN WAS 30 PROBABLE AND TWO POSSIBLE HELICOPTERS.

4. EVIDENCE FOR A CCAF TRAINING SCHOOL ARE THREE MAX/MOOSE, ONE PROBABLE MAX/MOOSE, AND ONE MAX/MOOSE FUSELAGE AND THE POSSIBLE PREPARATION FOR HARDENING THE AIR STRIP AS INDICATED BY THE PILES OF AGGEGATE ON THE LARGE OPEN AREA [ ]

MAX/MOOSE AIRCRAFT WOULD NOT NORMALLY BE USED IN AIR MOBILE OR AIRBORNE TRAINING. THEY COULD BE USED AS LIAISON AIRCRAFT. TEN SMALL STRIAIGHT WING AIRCRAFT WERE OBSERVED AT THE INSTALLATION

5. [ ] HAS REVIEWED OTHER SOURCES FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION WITH NEGATIVE RSULTS. WILL CONTINUE TO REPORT ON THIS FACILITY AS PHOTOGRAPHY BECOMES AVAILABLE.

6. INFORMATION CONTENT HAS BEEN COORDINATED WITH [ ]

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